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Ilkka Rata

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a two-month extension of time for responding to the outstanding Office Action in the above-identified patent application. A check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for this Petition under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1).

Respectfully submitted,

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